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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 2014, 1890

INTIMATIONS

of the Chamber, City Hall for the purpose of

A. G. GORDON AND COMPANY.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

THE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE for eareby given that an EXTRA-

pany will be held at the Company's Offices, No.

14. Prava Central, on MONDAY, the 24th

inetant, at 3 p.m. The object and business

of the Meeting will be to confirm the Special

Resolutions numbered 2, 3, and 4 passed on the

PERAK SUGAR CULTIVATION COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

on WEDNESDAY, 26th justant, at 2.30 P.M.

rom the 19th to the 26th instant, inclusive.

SHANGHAI LAND INVESTMENT

NUAL MEETING of SHARE.

HOLDERS will take place at the SHANGHAL

CLUB, on THURSDAY, the 27th March, 1890;

NOTICE TO SHABEHOLDERS.

THE FIRST ORDINARY HALF-

the Registered Offices of the Company, 3.

LIMITED.

ING OF SHAREHOLDERS.

By Order of the Board of Directors:

H. G. BROWN AND COMPANY.

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

FINE FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL

in the above Company will be held at the Hong-

kong Hotel, on MONDAY, the 31st instant,

MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON

LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING

the 7th instant, is unavoidably POSTPONED

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that

by the Articles of Association the Fourth

(LAST) INSTALMENT of \$10 (Ten dollars)

per Share (on Shares not fully paid) is due on

the Slat of March, 1890. This Instalment will

of SHAREHOLDERS called for Friday.

WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

General Managers.

EDWARD OSBORNE,

Secretary.

will be CLOSED from the 20th to the 31st

March, 1890, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, I th March, 1890.

Hongkong, 6th March, 1890.

By Order,

until further notice.

Hongkong, 17th March, 1890.

ORDINARY MEETING of the

By Order of the Board of Directors,

Hongkong, 14th March, 1890.

Besconsfield Arcade, on SATURDAY, the

YEARLY MEETING will be held at

J. A. BARRETTO.

Secretary.

CHAS. F. HARTON,

Secretary.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.;

COMPANY, LIMITED.

The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED

CHAS. J. DUDGEON.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

Hongkong, 5th March, 1899.

By Order of the Directors,

Shanghai, 3rd March, 1890.

By Order of the Directors,

Shanghai, 13th March, 1890.

29th instant, at Noon.

at 4 o'clock p.m.

ORDINARY MEETING of the Com-

A. G. GORDON.

General Manager

will be CLOSED from the 10th to 22nd March

1890, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, 7th March, 1890.

By Order.

3rd March, 1890.

LIMITED.

AUCTIONS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TO MORROW.

" NORMAN COTTAGE," Peak Road,

THE WHOLE OF THE

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,

comprising : --

CREFFONIER with Gloss Back.

CARPETS and HEARTH RUGS.

BREAKFAST SERVICES, GLASS

ROOM SUITE.

INTIMATIONS

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stantial reputation of Vinolis are due to the fact that it fulfils a function which nothing has ever done in the same measure. It is bland and soothing, yet free from narcotic. - d other toxic TAPESTRY COVERED DRAWING ingredients. It is noteworth; that it is not sticky or greasy, and also that it is the only un-Ladies' Embroidered on Silk and Plush guent that will wash off. It is the only agent Covered CHAIRS, CHIMNEY GLASSES. that will relieve the most intolerable itching MIRROR BRACKETS, English-made every time; thus in all forms of skin irritation its usefulness is supressio. The leading medical men of the world preser to For eczema, burns, Teak DINING TABLE, WHATNOTS piles, chaps, chilblains, &c., in is finile princeps. and SIDEBOALD with Glass Back, VIEN-Per Tin. 75 coats. NA CHAIRS, DINNER, DESSERT and L FEW WORDS ON "VINOLIA" SOAP. There are soaps and soaps—soaps with flowers figured upon them in bas-relief, soaps of

PLATED WARC. WRITING TABLE. DAVENPORT, lovely tints and care and attractive per-COPYING PRESS, BOOK CASE and finne, and soaps as cheap as dirt. But Double and Single IRON BEDSTEADS, goodly substance. So we find alkalies lurking instant, at S.P.M., for the purpose of receiving WARDROBE with Glass Door, CHEST, of in even finest toilet soaps, and cauticizing the DRAWERS, CHEVAL GLASS, TOILE TABLE with GLASS, and MARBLE TOP WASHSTAND. 1 SEWING MACHINE and STAND, by WHEELER & WILSOM. 1 COOKING RANGE,

Catalogues will be issued and the whole to be on View on and after Thursday, the 29th inst. TERMS of SALE. - As Customery. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. PUBLIC AUCTION HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO,

MIRRORS, PLATED WARE, &c., &c. THE Undersigned has received instructions. to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY

the 22nd March, 1890, commencing at 2.30 p.m., Sharp, at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street, A QUANTITY OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Comprising: SELK TAPESTRY DRAWING ROOM SUITE, quite new, CENTRE TABLES WHATNOTS CHIPPENDALE MIR-RORS, CONSOLE GLASSES, COTTAGE THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING PIANO, by Collard & Collard nearly new, of SHAREHOLDERS in the above EXTENSION DINING TABLE and Company will be held in the Shanghai Club, CHAIRS. ELECTRO-PLATED GLASS and CROCKERY WARE, CUTLERY TABLE LINEN, &c., SIDEBOARD with Mirror Back, LACE CURTAINS, &c. Brass and Iron BEDSTEAD with Patent

Wire Spring Mattress, Hall & Holtz-made WARDROBE. DRESSING TABLES WASHING STANDS, &c. SUNDRY OFFICE FURNITURE. &c TWO VERY FINE TRICYCLES. ONE RICKSHA.

The above will be on view on Friday next. TREMS OF SALE. - Cash on delivery. G. R. LAMMERT.

Hongkong, 19th March, 1890. PUBLIC AUCTION.

HE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY. the 22nd March, 1890, at 3 P.M., at bis Sales Rooms, Queen's Road.

THE STRAM LAUNCH "STEPHEN - THOMPSON" of the following dimensions:-

TERMS OF SALE .- Cash. - The Launch to be at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer For further Particulars, apply to J. M. ARMSTRONG, Hongkong, 18th March, 1890.

FOR SALE AT HALF-PRICE... HANDSOME AMERICAN MANUAL 1890

-AND PEDAL BASS ORGAN. EQUALLY SUITED FOR DRAWING ROOM OR 1 CHURCH

Dimensions.—Length, 4 feet 11 inches; eight, 5 feet 2 inches; width, 2 feet 4 inches. In Walnut case, carved and polished. The instrument has Six Octaves of Keys, 1890 Hongkong, of their inticipated . Scale, Six Sets of Roeds, Fifteen Stops, viz., 1890 arrivals in London, and dates of Diapason, Melodia, Viola, Dulcet, Principal, Celeste, Flute D'Amour, Cello, Cremona, Fugle 1890 Parcel Post and Almanao for Horn, Forte, Vox Humana, Octave Coupler, 1890 Bourdon Pedal, Manual to Pedals, Grand 1890 To be had of Press Office and Organ, Foot Pedal, Swall Foot Pedal. Foot 1890 the Hooksellers. On Paper, 10 Blow Pedals, Blow Handle. Pedals-1 Set SO 1890 cents; on Card 20 cents, Cash. Notes Pedal Reeds, 16 feet Pitch. Can be seen at the Office of the Daily Press

any morning between the hours of 10 A.M. and Hongkong, 8th March, 1890. WANTED for Shanghai-A NURSE or A YOUNG NURSERY GOVERN-ESS to take Charge of Two Children. Address.

K. K. K., Care of this Paper. Hongkong, 18th March, 1890. at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, and Statement of Accounts to 31st December; 1889: THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED. WANTED A MANAGER and SHIP-MASTER for the Company's FLOAT-

ING HOTEL from 1st of May. Applicants to state salary required and to forward copies of Testimonials and references. By Order of the Board of Directors, J. A. BARRETTO,

Secretary. Beaconsfield Arcade. Hongkong, 12th March, 1890.

GOVERNMENT - NOTIFICATION.

OPERATIONS will take place in Taytam Bay about the middle of this month, lasting about a fortnight. There will probably be firing from small crups and small arms on three nights, between the 18th and 21st instant. All Ships, Junks, and other Vessels are cautioned to keep clear of the range of fire.

By Command. W. M. DEANE, Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 13th March, 1890.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

CONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are requested to furnish the undersigned with

a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December, 1889, in order that the Distribution of Bonus may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st day of March inst., OTICE is hereby given that the 3rd CALL will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or of \$5 per Share on the 4,000 Shares Alterations will be subsequently admitted. 'aumbered 1001/5000 is PAYABLE to the JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation

General Agents, Canton Insurance Office, Limited. Hongkong, 3rd March, 1890. J. B. WHITE & BROS.

AKIN BROTHERS, OF CHINA. THE Undersigned has received instructions, I from A. Seth, Esq., to Sell by Public

说十二月三英港香

A FEW WORDS ON "VINOLIA." the 21st March, 1890, at 2 P.M. at his residence The reception and widely established aub-

goodly outside is no voucher of a skin, drying it, and predisposing it to all manner of troubles, and aggravating diseases already Would that we could express the delighted freely, does not crack, and wears away slowly. amply demonstrate the incomparable ability of soap as milk! There are plenty of soaps con-

In boxes of 3 Tablets, Medical ... \$1.00;

> THE ANNUAL GAMES HIGHLANDERS will be held on . SATURDAY, the 22nd March.

on the RACE COURSE, HAPPY VALLEY, By kind permission of the Stewards of the Jockey Club).

viz. :- Sailors, Soldiers, Volunteers and Police. One Mile—Prizes, \$10, \$5, \$3, Hulf Mile-Prizes, \$10, \$5, 83. Tug of War | 820

The following Events are open to the services

Pipe playing :- Quick Stop, Strathspey and Rool, \$10, \$3. Entries to be made on the Ground The Band will play during the Afternoon.

Hongkong, 13th March, 1890. CARLSBAD NATURAL MINERAL WATERS are now imported in bottles and used in treatment of Chronic Gasteic Catabry, Hyper-CEMIA of the LIVER, GALL STONES CHRONIC CONSTIPATION, DIABETES, RENAL CALCULI, Gour, and disesses of the spleen arising from

residence in the tropics or malarious districts. THE NATURAL CARLSBAD PRUDEL-SALT In small and frequent doses is an efficien [680 DIWERTIC, but as an APPRIGNT it should be taken BEFORE BREAKFAST, in doses of from to 2 teaspoonfuls, dissolved in water. To increase the APERIENT actions of the Carlabal

Mineral Water, a teaspoonful of the Sait, previously dissolved in water, should be added. SOLE CONSIGNEES for the U.K. & the Colonies INGRAM & ROYLE. 52, Farringdon Street, London, And of all CHEMISTS throughout the Work

OSRPH GILLOTT'S STEEL PENS.

GOLD MEDAUS, PARIS, 1878-1889. These world-famous Pens are the "Best in the World."

1890 MAILS FOR EUROPE THE NEW ARRANGEMENT

NOW READY TABLES for 1890; showing dates of parture 1890 of English and French Hail from

1890 return despatches, with Table of THE JAPAN

SHIP COUPRADORES. · | a578 | COMMISSION MERCHANT GENERAL CONTRACTOR

JOHN. A. PEEBLES. No. 27, MAIN STREET, YOKOHAMA. Yokohama, 3rd February, 1890. NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR F respectfully informed that, if upon their FINE Steamship arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs if Central will receive prompt attention. In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES

Secretary. Hongkong, 26th August, 1885.

ADVERTISEMENTS. TO LET.

LARGE FRONT ROOM at No. BLUE BUILDINGS, FIRST FLOOR, FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED. Apply to

Office of this Office. Hongkong, 20th March, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates FITHE Company's Steamship for Ningpo, Cheroo, Newchwang, Tibrisin, HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTSZE.) "HE Company's Steemship."

"ANCHISES." Captain Lapage, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 27th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 19th February, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY FOR LONDON VIA BUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship

"STENTOR." on SATURDAY, the 29th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agenta.

PRICE \$24 PER MONTH ADVERTISEMENTS

A YOUNG WOMAN of good Family desirous a position as GOVERNESS to Young CHILDREN between the ages of it and 14. Addres

Care of American Consulate, Manila. Philippine Islands. Hongkong, 20th March, 1890.

The Fashionable Evening Resort. SOCIETY'S"RE-UNIONS.

'A Great and Glorious Successi.

Achieved by the Universal Entertainers.

TTUDSON'S SURPRISE PARTY The Purveyors of Footlight Pleasantries. THIS (THURSDAY) EVENING, Grand Fashionable Performance.

Under the natronage and in the presence of H.E. FRANCIS FLEMING, C.M.G.

the Officer Administering the Governments "O wad some power the giftie gie us To see ourselves as there see us. established. Vinclia Scap is superfatted, lathers feelings of our patrons! Would that we could

Another thing: It contains less water than any our performers! But, no! A blushing modesty other soap. It is not generally known that "the steals o'er us, and we leave the great verdict in cow with the iron tail" has yielded as much the hands of an enchanted public. Great Change of Programme. . TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!!

RHAD A FRW OF THE ITEMS. First Time of the Automatons. HUDSON'S COGITATIONS. Nos. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. The beautiful Youl Duet, " Scotland for Ever." 1824 Miss LAURA ROBERTS will give Dutch impersonations Fast and Slow.

The Rearing Sketch. The Resor Mania. ROYLL AND SUTHERLAND Miss MAY HARGOOD'S Operation Selection "DINORAH." Miss NELLY HARLEY'S New Serio-Comicisms Miss Lilly C. Barre, Australia's Prima Donnà. . In operatio selections. SULLIVAN versus KILRAIN (New Sketch).

OUDA, THE ABRIAL MARVEL, &c., &c. Admission as usual. Smiling bagins 9 P.M. Box Office open at Messrs KELLY & WALSH, * THOS. P. HUDSON, Proprietor & Manager. Hongkong, 20th March, 1890,

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions I from the Official Administrator, to Sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY. the 26th March, 1890, at 2 P.M., at the Residence of the late Mrs. FOURNIER, No. 25, Elgin

THE WHOLE OF THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. Comprising :-

PLUSH COVERED DRAWING ROOM Blackwood MARBLE TOP CENTRE

TABLE, CHIMNEY GLASS, MANTEL PIECE CLOCK with Candelabras, PIC. TURES and ORNAMENTS DINING TABLE SIDEBOARD, WHAT. NOT. DINNER, DESSERT & BREAK-FAST SERVICE. GLASS and PLATED WARE, KEROSINE CHANDELIER and LAMPS.

Double Wooden BEDSTEAD, Single IRON BEDSTEAD, IRON COT, WARDROHE with Plate Glass Door; CHEST of DRAW-ERS. TOILET TABLE and GLASS and MARBLE TOP WASHSTAND.

One COTTAGE PIANO, by Collard & One SEWING-MACHINE and STAND.

One IRON SAFE. One DOUBLE JINRICKSHA, TERMS OF SALE, - As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG. Hongkong, 20th March, 1890. PUBLIC AUCTION.

FIGHE Undersigned has received instructions from G. SACHSE, Esq., to Sell by Public 1890 Auction, on THURSDAY,

the 27th of March, 1890, at 230 P.M., at bis Residence No. 23, CAINE ROAD. THE WHOLE OF HIS MARINBURK, MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITUNE. Comprising:

SILK TAPESTRY COVERED DRAW. ING ROOM SUITE, CHIMNEY GLASSES CENTRE TABLE, BOOKCASE, PIC-TURES, VASES, ORNAMENTS, TURK ISH CARPET, HEARTH RUGS Teak DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD

with Glass Back, CHAIRS, WHATNOTS. BREAKFAST, DINNER and DESSERT SETS, GLASS, PLATED WARE, and CUILERY. Double and Single IRON BEDSTEADS with Spring and Hair Mattress, Child's IRON COT, Double and Single WARDROBE with Plate Glass; MARBLE TOP WASH.

STANDS, TOILET TABLE, COUCH, and CHAIRS. ICE BOX, BATH TUBS, LADY'S CHAIR &a., &c. Catalogues wi'l be issued and the whole to be on view on and after Wednesday, the 26th of-

TRRMS OF SALE.—As Customary,

Hongkong, 20th March, 1890. FOR SHANGHAI.

sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Prays | Captain Th. Lehmann, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 20th inst. at Noon, instead of as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, 20th March, 1890. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, MOJI, KOBE, AND YOKOHAMA, VIA INDAND SEA HE Steamship

"CARDIGANSHIRE," Captain F. Davies, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 20th instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hougkong, 20th March, 1890. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

"ZA FIRO." Captain Cobban, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 20th inst., at FOUR P.M., instead of as previously advertised. For Fraight or Passage, apply to

General Managers. Hongkong, 19th March, 1890. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAMSUI.

Captain Lewis, will be despatched for the ORTLAND CEMENT. Captain Milligan, will be despatched as above above Ports TO MORROW, the 21st inst., at

DOUGLAS LAPPAIK & Co. General Mahagers. Hongkong, 19th March, 1890.

ARRIVALS. March 19. AJAK, British steamer, 1.477, Riley Nagasaki 14th March. Coal.—BUTTERVIELD

March 19, Kong Beng. British steamer, 862 R. Jones Bangkok 11th March, General.-YUEN FAT HONG. March 19, Ningro, German steamer, 762. R.

Kochler, Shanghai 16th March, General,-SIRMSBEN & Co. Marchilly, Haltan: Britishstr., 1,183, S. Ashton, Foochow 16th March, Amoy 17th, and Swatow 18th. General .- Douglas LAPHAIK

March 10. Sin Kolga, British bark, 542, A . Jensen, Sandakan 7th February, Hard Wood.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARROUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 19TH MARCH. Cycle, British str., for Saigen. longkul, British str., for Swalow. Edendalo, British str., for Nagasaki.

Benlamars, British str., for Saigon. Zofiro, British str., for Manila. Almora, British str., for Singapore. ijaz, British atr., for Singapore. N. S. de Loreto, Spanish str., for Amoy.

March 19, HSIN-SHENG, Chinese steamer, for Morch 19, Kiet, German str., for Takao, March 19, Oxus, French str., for Europe, &c. March 19, BELLONA, Gorman steamer, for Yoko-March 19, Propostis, British str., for Saigon. March 19, AJAX, British str., for London.

March 19, ALACRITY, British desparch boat, for March 19, BENLAWERS, British str., for Saigon PASSENGERS.

Fer Haitun, str., from Coast Ports, -Messrs.

Trumboly, and 169 Chinese. Per Omis, str., from Hongkong.—For Saigon -Comte Laganterie, Messrs, G. De Slane and De Villeneuve and suite. For Colombo.-Mr. F. Garnier. From Shanghai.—For Saigon.—. and Miss Wadmann, Mr. and Mrs. Reding any kind. and 3 children. Mrs. Scribe and 2 infants, Mr., Mrs. and Miss Bertin, Mrs. Roux and 3 Semba Taro, Kawamura, Sekiya Rakou- character. jiro, Ohesma, Ima Idjumi, Sakakibara, Oka Masanora, Koshima Ourashaburo, Irishawa Tatsukitchi. Whishibata Manaba, Okada Rumitan, and Barboutean. From Kobe. For Singapore. body, rapid, velatile, transitory, and harmless. seilles.-Messrs Public Rikontaro and Robagashi. From Yokohama -- For Saigon -- Mr. Dahiret. For ≿ingapore.—Mrs. St. Clande, 2 infants and

servant, and Mr. Lager. For Marseilles. Mr.

REPORTS. The German steamer Ningpo, from Shanghai 16th March, reports had light northerly winds and fine weather for Ockseu; thence calm, and

light westerly winds and fine weather. The British steamer Haitan, from Frontow Bith March, Amoy 17th, and Swatow 18th, re-.ts from Foschow to Ocksen had strong N.N.E. breeze; from thence to Amoy fresh breeze, dull and overcast weather. From Amoy to Swatow moderate to light N.E. breeze with moderate sea and overcast weather. From Swatow to Single Island light variable winds to port foggy weather. In Fooebow str. Kai- Chablis, Hockheimer.

fong. In Amoy strs. Diamond, Namkiang, and

VESSELS IN DOCK. ABERDEEN DOCKS. Kowloon Docks.—Steamers Don Juan, Phys

Quoc. Fokien. Cosmopolatan Dock.— VISITORS AT HOTELS. HONGKONG HOTEL - Messrs, E. E. Abraham son, J. J. Aubertin, Bigillion, P. W. Bonder, A. H. Bradley, Commander R. M. Bunbury, R.N., Mrs. Bunbury, Mrs. Cox and 2 Daughters, Mrs. Craigie, Capt. Cunningham, Mr. S. Debrabant, Miss Dennis, Massrs. Douglas Dick, J. C. Ford, W. Förrester, Miss Gaskell, Messys. H. J. Gifford, Glyn, High. Mr. and Mrs. Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. Gueyrand, Messrs. C. Grund jean, T. Heymann, Robt, Howie, A. Kuhn, M. M. Kuhu, Admiral and Mrs. W. M. Lang. Mesers, F. Mettlerkamp, G. F. Muller Mutook, Mr. and Mrs. Passos, Messrs. 1 Piry, Thos. Prepr. Mrs. Putnam and son Messrs. A. M. Quill, S. Rembielinski, R. B. Rigbye, Rome, M. M. Shoemaker, Capt. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Stavvesant, Messra. Steadman, H. Stow, Dr. J. B. Stuart, Capt. A. B. Thomson, Messrs. T. E. Wendell, G. Waghorn, Mr. and ars. T. Needham Wilson. VICTORIA HOTEL .- Messrs. J. Barns. Carl. Backe, M ss Baber, Miss Ada Clements, Capt. van Corbach, Messrs. Davis, John Dodd, Miss Emily Delafield, Mr. Friderick E. Delafield, Mrs. Lewis L. Delafield, Mr. S. Dampsy Mrs. M. Biohel, Messrs. H. Gilbert, Gordon Capt Gordon, Messrs. A. H. Harris, C. Harris, Miss . N. Harley, Capt. and Mrs. Hastings, Mr. "J. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Hygam, Messrs. B. Jorey, J Lembke. Miss Linton, Mr. S. D. Martino. Miss L. Roberts, Messrs. Aug. Schomburg,

Thos. Skinner, F. E. Taylor, Manuel de Tornes. M. S. Villans, W. Wilkinson,

PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR HONGKONG. Per Glen Line steamer Glengarry, from London, Feb., 12th.—Messra. Jupp and Geo. Cooper. Per P. & O. steamer Britannia, from London, Feb. 21st (coming on in the Kaisur-i-Hind).— Capt. L. H. Warden, Mrs. Jerrard, Messrs. G. Drewery and T. W. Bruce.

Per Messagories Maritimes steamer Yangtse. from Marseitles, Feb. 23rd.—Messrs. H. W. Slade. Mr. W. Sail, Mr. Noguchi, Viscount and Lady Li, Mr. and Mrs. Wang, Messrs. Arnhold, Clement,

Per P. & O. steamer Carthage, from London, March 6th. - Messrs. Mendbam and H. C. Ni-Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Oceanien, from Marseilles. March 9th.—Messrs. Phillippe. E. Wilkins, and FAE. Davies.

> SPECIALITIES. VALID'S PORT

CUTLER PALMER'S. Auslysed and Certificated by PROPESSOR CASSALL. Each bottle bears his Certificate of Purity. The Wine is as designated.

BIEMSSEN & Co.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

INFORMATION has been received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that ARTIL-LERY PRACTICE will take place from the Works on Stone Cutter's Island, during the period 5th to 31st instant, between the hours of A.M. and 2 P.M. daily (Sundays excepted). The line of fire will be in a South Westerly direction from the Works. All Ships, Junks, and other Vessels are cautioned to keep clear of the range.

Apply to

W. M. DEANE. Acting Colonial Secretary. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially in-Colonial Secretary's Office.

Hongkong, 5th March, 1880.

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Guitar Strings. Bicycle Rolls. Boxing Gloves. Ayre's Cricket Balls.

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New Dance Music. WALTER W. BREWER. UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL THAMPAGNE.

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VIN BRUT. ROYAL CUVEE.

Rev. Succine Moward. For Marseilles.—Mrs. out the addition of candy, syrup, or liqueur of RESERVELIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000 A DRY CHAMPAGNE to be palatable must be made of the finest raw muterial.—A children, Mrs. Princess, Mr, and Mrs. Rawlin- SWEET CHAMPAGNE can be made of alson. Misses Donald and Petit, Messrs. Hector most any material. The excessive quantity of Morrison, H. Bertin, Fondju Shigueta, Yoda sugar in the latter masks completely its original W. H. Forbes, Esq.

-Mesers. Illis, Harayama, and Shiba. For Mar- This Natural Champagne is recommended as being really dry, not by means of artificial additions, but because in it, the natural process of fermentation has been completed. Agents for Hongkong, DAKIN BROTHERS OF CHINA,

NATURAL CHAMPAGNE will agree with

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By Order. H. HARMS. for the Liquidators. Hongkong, 15th March, 1890. PREMIER CHAMPAGNE Is BINET. FILS' DRY ELITE.

C. EWENS. General Manager. LABUK PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

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MARRIAGES afterwards at Trinity Cathedral, Shanghai, by the Roy. H. C. Hodges, M.A., WILLIAM McDONALD, to ALICIA CAMPBELL MCCLURE. On the 14th instant, at the Cathedral, Shanghai

n the 19th March, at 5.30 p.m., at Belilios Torrace. ARTHUE WAGNER; Government Marine Surveyor The funeral will leave the house at 8 a.m. to-day, and will pass the Monument at 9 a.m. Friends are

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, MARCH 20TH, 1890.

Now that the visit of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught is so near, and that growth and artificial development of the rethe programme of the recoption festivities sources of the country must necessarily be re- deserve it. has been finally decided upon, we feel some tarded. To bring this condition of affairsdelicacy in again re-opening the illumina- much more serious than the dacoity in Burtion question. Representations of such a mah, bad as that is to a final conclusion, it serious character have, however, been made is imperative that the number of military to us that we feel we should be neglecting a posts throughout the country should be induty were we to refrain from giving them creased. It would also be advisable to publicity. It is said to be common talk in set a price on the heads of the leaders the markets that the cost of the Chinese il. of these brigands, and encourage the luminations is to be defrayed by an increase villagers to resist them. But the step of in the price of victuals. The cost of the Jubilee most importance, it seems to us, that the Freyoinet is forming a Cabinet to defeat the Light Dues. illuminations was, it appears, defrayed by French Government should take is to re- Covernment party. the same means. The Pork Guild, for in- quest the Chinese Government to co-operate stance, to recover the amount it expended on in the task of repressing brigandage, and that occasion, put a levy of twenty cents on join in taking really effective measures to each pig sold by the members, and the retail prevent the incursion into Tonkin of armed price of pork was advanced a cent or a cent bands. It must be apparent to China that and a half per catty. The Fish Guild and for her to continue to allow her territory to be the various other Guilds acted in a similar used as the rendezvous of hordes of armed way. It was understood that when the men bent on ravaging and making virtual amount expended on illuminations had been lwar on the territory of a friendly state is a

recouped the price of pork, etc., would be clear breach of neutrality and likely, sooner reduced by the same amount that it had or later, to invite reprisals. If therefore the RADING been increased; but this has not been done. Peking Authorities continue to permit this The people, are now apprehensive that the kind of thing to go on they must not be surtext for a further increase in the price of food. plans have ripened, to find France in the To pay for illuminations by levying a tax on camp of their enemies. The French Governthe food of the people is a poor way of ment have shown a great deal of patience, showing honour to our Royal-visitors, but but there is a limit to all endurance, and this is apparently what it is likely to come with the frequent changes in the administrato. The Guilds themselves, we are informed, tion at Paris, it is difficult to foretell when were very reluctant to take up the matter, that limit may be reached. It may arrive and several meetings were held before it was very suddenly, and may take place under decided to do so, but in the end the repre- circumstances very different from those ruling sentations of the Acting Registrar-General at the time of the 1884-5 campaign. prevailed. The Acting Registrar-General does not follow, because France is now torn happens to be also Secretary of the Recep- by factions that she will always be the battle tion Committee, and while in the one ground of contending parties. Some day capacity he has to act as "Protector unity may be evolved out of the present conof the Chinese " it is naturally his duty flict of interests and opinions, and France and inclination in his other capacity to emerge, great, powerful, and resolved to make the illuminations as great a success as brook no more slights from any Asiatic possible. In his official capacity, however, we think the allegation that the cost of the Chinese illuminations is to be paid by what is virtually a tax on food should be in board, left Amoy on the 12th inst. for Nagasaki. quired into, and if the report be true the Guilds ought to be informed that neither the Government nor the Reception Committee desire them to contribute anything at 8 a.m. more than what they are prepared to give freely and voluntarily and without attempting to recoup themselves for afterwards by from Hongkong, and left again on the 14th raising the price of articles of consumption.

power, however important.

due here on the 25th inst.

morning, and is due here on the 25th inst.

The Daily News says: -- We have no further

We regret to have to record the death of Mr

Arthur Wagner, Acting Government Marine

from typhoid fever. Mr. Wagner leaves a widow

and two children. It is less than three months

Surveyor, was announced, and both posts are

A meeting of Justices of the Peace was held

yesterday at the Magistracy to hear the an-

present were Mr. II. E. Wedshouse and Mr.

of the applicant, and no opposition being offered

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Suardian, writing on the 7th February, says :-

John Pope Hennessy's administration of Mau-

subject, I may mention that although Governor

to enter Parliament as a Nationalist member, he

that his career as a colonial governor is closed.

The Amon Gazette of the 12th inst. says :- It

will be in the recollection of our readers that

last November we reported the arrival here of

the shipwrecked crew of a junk, consisting of

Fooksang, and brought safely here. This event

tems, and this morning at the Custom House in

ber of residents, Captain Hogg was presented

bravery, by the Hai Fong Tien representing the

appreciated his humanity, that the Hai Fong

the unique compliment of personally presenting

the flag. The flag was then bauded to Captain

logg, who replied, thanking Mr. Hughes, the

Hai Fong Tien, and the other officials for their

kind recognition of his efforts. Captain liogg's

Hudson's Surprise Party evidently seems to

have grown rapidly into popular favour here.

Last night they bad another good house and the

performance did not finish till a somewhat late

hour owing to the enthusiasm displayed by the au-

provided with new sough, new dances and

possible, more successful than the one previously

going into details with regard to the pro-

new jokes, in fact the entortainment was,

health was then drunk with three cheers.

ien had been instructed to pay Captain Hogg

ritius, which appears to have been most popular certain fullure. with all natives of the island. Apropos of this

G. Bateson Wright, Esq., M.A.

post of Assistant Surveyor.

the application was granted.

crial Hospital:-

HENRI ROQUE and their companions by Chinese bandits in the Dong-trieu hill serves to show, once more, how important i is that vigorous measures should be taken by the French Authorities to clear Tonkin Case. Per Bot. of these pests. On the 7th March the news from Hankow with reference to the threatcaptives, who had been treated to some tor- Kung No left Hankow, on the 11th instant, all ture by their captors, were released on pay- was quiet. ment of fifty thousand dollars in silver, one hundred pieces of silk, and twelve watches. The bandits were able to impose their own conditions, owing to considerations of the tween Hongkong, Japan, and San Francisco. safety of the lives of their hostages, and they carried them out with a haughty nonchalance worthy of the conquerors of a country charge of having set fire to his premises in Bon- occupied, the defence could be seen liping the rather than of a band of desperadoes. The bandits are said to have numbered about four hundred, and their leader Luu-ky is described as a youth of about twenty, though probably he is considerably older. At any rate he has displayed an astuteness far in advance of his reputed years, both in his first exploit of carrying off the Messrs. Roous and in the negotiations for their ran som subsequently. His men appear to be all armed with rifles, and to be able to ob-...... 14 1.25 tain supplies without difficulty. On securing the ransom they made for the mountains, and are now probably safe on the other side of the frontier. About the fate of Messrs. Reque's compradore, Wind Par-curond there appears to be some doubt. He certainly was not delivered up with his employers, and Messrs. Roque think that he was decapitated by order of Luu-ky, who discovered in his possession a letter_addressed by the compradore to an official in Canton. WING FAT-CHEONG, who held rank as a small mandarin, had, it seems, collected seme particulars as to the identity of a number of the bandits, who are Kwangsi men, and those he had jotted down, with the names of their families, and asked the Chinese authoritie to make these people responsible for the safety of himself and fellow captives and also for the return of the ransom extorted. There is only too good reason to suppose that this discovery scaled his fate with these unscrupulous rascals, and that poor Wing has been summarily despatched. It is hardly

The return of the Messrs. Rooms and their companions to Haiphong clos s the second chapter in this tragic and startling event in Tonkin annals; but it is to be hoped that it will not prove its conclusion. Every effort heavy gale, by Captain Hogg of the steamer should be made to destroy this dangerous gang, and secure the frontier against incursions by similar predatory bands. So far the presence of the Consular body and a numfrom reducing the garrison of Tonkin-as was recently proposed and attempted-the French Government should increase it so as high officials of the province. Mr. Hughes in a to permit of an efficient guard on the frontier to prevent the formation there of Chinese showing how highly the Chinese Authorities brigand bands. At the same time strong representations should be made to the Peking Government calling upon them to restrain and prevent such incursions from their side the frontier. The brigand, who are responsible for the chronic state of disturbance in which so many districts a thressed "The Editor," and those on business "The of Tonkin have so long been kept, are nearly all of Chinese origin, or at least are led by Chinese from Kwangsi, most of them ex-On the 13th instant, at H.B.M. Consulate, and members of the old Black Flag band. The natives of Tonkin only wish to be left in dience. An entirely fresh programme had been peaceable possession of their fields and garby the Rev. H. C. Hodges, M.A., CARL RASHUSSEN, dens; but at present they have little heart to Betty Marcussen, both of Donmark. to sow crops that in all probability will be noticed. Time and space do not permit of reaped by these marauders; and many of them join the banditti simply out of sheer

probable that the robbers would encumber

themselves with him in their flight to the

gramme, but of the many - good things deserving mention. Miss Habgood's playing, Mr. despair and destitution, having lost all they Hudson's song and dance and Miss Baber's sing-[600] possessed. The Chinese freebooters cross the frontier well armed and thoroughly Baberand Miss Nelly Harley perhaps the greatest entered into involving a considerable sum of equipped for a brush even with the military, success of the evening. This item is worthy of money without the knowledge of this Council, is in all she attempts, gave evidence of vocal ticable, and knowing every inch of the ability for which she has hardly been given credit cil the desire of the Governor in regard to this before. The sketches introduced were mirthcountry are usually able to elude the provoking in the highest degree, "The Modern French troops, and manage to sack School of Acting " being a "Screamer " from town or village with impunity. So long beginning to end. To night the performance is given under the patronage of His Excellency, as this state of affairs continues, the natural the Acting Governor, and there should be an over-flowing house. The Company certainly

- STATIONS. will not be considered a Cabinet question, as the as provided for in the Estimates is \$1,920; he Secretary of State for War has announced that also receives \$480 as Collector of Light Dues,

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."

MINISTRY.

THE GUNS FOR THE COALING

REGIMENTAL FIELD FIRING.

The Regiment had a field firing practice yesterday afternoon, the occasion being an attack on Hongkong from the south side of the Island: Guilds will make the present occasion a pre- prised, at some future date, when Russian The conditions of the general plan were that the attack was to be expected, but the Garrison, being supposed to be insufficient, was to be kept concentrated in the town, in readiness to move towards any threatened point. Information was then supposed to be received of the landing of the enemy in Deep Water Bay, and half a battalion with two mountain guns were told off to protect Wanchai Gap; the defence and guns took the outh and his sout. being represented on this occasion by targets. The attacking force consisted of 450 men and four the new, Attorney-General at this Board, I wish mountain guar. Colonel Chater was in charge of to express my neknowledgments, which I think the whole attack, Capt. Paterson being in command of the right, Major Tottenham and assistance he has rendered to us, more particular-Captein Irvine of the lett, and Capt. Hawkins ly in connection with legal business. I have not of the guns, the other officers taking part been here sufficiently long to have seen much of being Captain Robinson, Lieut. Scott, Lieut. Gore. Lient. Sutherland, and Lient. Renny, he performed the duties of Attorney-General The main body of the attacking force landed, and the expeditious way in which as a rule he about 3 p.m. on the land belonging to the Hong- gave opinions on such matters as were submitted kong Brick Company, the remaining part of the force, under Capt. Paterson, landing on the sandy beach at the bead of the bay. The order to The Russian ironelad Admiral Nakhimoff advance having been given, the main body Captain Fedetoff, with the Russian Admiral on proceeded cautiously up the hill to the right the guns with a small escort going first and The Colonial Chaplain requests us to state taking up their position on the crest of the bill. that there will be a celebration of the Holy Com-Having gained this ominonce, contrary to expectamunion in the Peak Church on Snuday next tion, none of the defence were sighted and the order was given for the whole, except the guns, to advance and gain the next ridge. This occupied con-The British gunboat Linnet, Commander Galloway, arrived at Amoy on the 11th inst siderable time, despite the encouragement of officers and the hearty manner in which the men responded. On nearing the next ridge the sconts announced a body of skirmishers to the left and a strong force of the enemy to the The Agents (Massrs, D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.) right. The skirmishers having been disposed inform us that the steamer Japan, with mails of the attack turned its attention to the body of from Calcutta, left Singapore yesterday, and is infantry on its right and a sharp fire both from the musketry and artillery (which had in the The Agents (Messes, Butterfield & Swire) meantime bean brought up) was kept up for some nform us that the O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Antime. Another order for advance followed, with chises, from Liverpool, left Singapore on Tuesday

another descent, more difficult than the first The ground seemed hardly to have recovered from the effects of the late rains and was treacherous in the extreme. On reaching the bottom of the bill the attackers found themselves in a swamp extending for some twenty yards. Nothing danuted, however, they floundered through this and with wet apparel but undamped ardour breasted the next height, about as Atlantic service in Murch, and the Adriatic in Here a wait occurred in order to permit of the April, and that they may be sent out to run be- guns taking up their position on a height which commanded the whole of the valley leading to the Wong-nei-chong gap. This would have At the Criminal Sessions on Wednesday a been, of course, a point gained to the noble prosequi was entered in the case of Bit fence, as it would permit of reinforcements beheights on either side of the valley, with ham Strand, and he was accordingly discharged. guns at the head of the Gap protecting them. The whole stracking force now being well up and coorpying all sides of the valley advanced Surveyor, which occurred yesterday afternoon, under protection of the guns, and opened fire on, the enemy. Some very good work was put in here as the flying of the earth round the enemy's since the death of Mr. Brewer, the previous entrenchments from a galling fire of bullets showed. The guns, also, ably supported the now vacant, Mr. Wagner holding the substantive infantry and as soon as they got the range put in some shots that must have made things remarkably warm. In spite of the fact that the large targets representing the main lication of James Edwards for a licence for the body were not carried away, the shots were well judged, and the setting fire to the forze where Marine Hotel, No. 71, Praya West. The Justices the reserve and ammuition were, showed that the R. K. Leigh. Mr. Rodyk appeared on behalf effect of the fire must have been disastrous to any body of men holding the position. On the other hand it has to be taken into account that

the defence's guns, would scarcely have been silenced. The attack's artillery still keeping up the fire, the left advanced up the road and took up a position on a ridge on the extreme subscriptions to the funds of the Alice Mem- left; the centre swarmed up the valley, taking advantage of every cover; and the right occupied a position on the extreme right of the valley from which the defence had been driven;

hot fire was kept up along the whole line till the welcome sound of " cease fire " put an end to an extremely hard, but a very interesting and matractive day's work. In recording the advance of the attack it has to be borne in mind that their fire was not returned, and the The London correspondent of the Manchester practice proves conclusively that a saccessful attack made in broad daylight with a force out-Paris is the principal European centre for young numbering the defence by even ten to one would think under the classical it will be build colony of them there. I hear of a movement are the difficulties to be overcome, while a night amongst them to commemorate in some way Sir attack made by an enemy without any previous

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL Hennessy has been approached with a proposal A meeting of the Legislative Council was held has not yet come to a decision on the subject. vesterday afternou. There were present:and he is not likely to do so for several months to come, as he is at present on leave of absence and His EXCELLENCY THE ACTING GOVERNOR in the receipt of the salary usual under such Hon. F. FLENING, C.M.G. circumstances. It is premature, in fact, to assume

knowledge of the ground would be an almost

Hon. W. M. DEANE, Acting Colonial Secre-Hon. W. M. GOODMAN, Attorney-General. Hon. A. Listez, Colonial Tressurer.

Hon. S. BROWN, Surveyor-General. Hon. N. G. MITCHELL-INNES, Acting Regisrar General.

6 mon, who had been rescued at sea during a Hon. P. RYRIN. Hon. C. P. CHATER. Hon. A. P. MACEWEN. was brought to the notice of the Chinese Offi-Hon. J. J. Keswick. ints by Mr. Hughes, the Commissioner of Cus-

Hon, HO KAI.

Mr. F. A. HAZELAND. Acting Clerk THE EPIDEMIC HOSPITAL HULK. with an honorary flag in recognition of his-The ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY laid on the table a minute by the Acting Governor recommending a vote of \$8,500 to complete the graceful speech recalled the circumstances of oum of \$58,800, cost of building the epidemic Captain Hogg's heroism, and mentioned, as

> The minute was referred to the Finance Com-THE PURCHASE OF BAXTER HOUSE FOR A

POLICE STATION. The Acting Colonial Secretary laid or he table a minute by the Acting Governor re commending the Council to vote the sum \$34,000 for the purchase of inland lot No 598 with the premises ther upon, to be used as a police station, in lieu of No. 8 police station.

His Excellency—Before this is referred to the Finance Committee 1 may mention that for a long time past the attention of the Governor has been drawn to the desirability of obtaining another site for No. 8 police station. Shortly before the Governor's departure it was suggested to bim that the site which has now been mentioned should be obtained for such purpose, and he agreed to the proposal made. His Excellency, however, apparently had rome hesitation in sanctioning that the expenditure for this should at once be paid and he proposed that it should be included in the Estiming are worthy of special mention. In the same ates for next year. But it seemed to me that if catalogue should be placed the dust between Miss such a course were taken a contract would be pecial mention as in it Miss Harloy, clever as sho and therefore it seemed to me the only way in which I could bring to the notice of the Counmatter was by asking the Council at once to vote the necessary funds. All the papers connected with this question will be submitted to the Finance Committee, and hon. mombers will have the opportunity of seeing the bservations the Governor, has made in connection with this matter and I am sure than will give it every consideration.

> The minute was referred to the Finance Committee. THE ASSISTANT HAPBOUR MASTER, The Acting Colonial Secretary laid on the table a minute by the Acting Governor recommending the Council to vote the sum of

LONDON, 18th March. GREAT STRIKES OF MINERS 250,000 miners have struck work. RESIGNATION OF THE FRENCH The French Ministry has resigned, M would also cease to draw pay as Collector of to vote this surplus sum of \$8,500.

His Excellency-Before referring this to the Finance Committee I may mention that the increased expenditure asked for amounts in reality to a very few dollars a year. It will be seen Lieutenant-General Sir E. Hamley's motion that the salary of the Assistant Harbour Master

conundrums are growing wearisome. -En. amounts really only to two or three dollars, but year, and there is also a further sum of \$480 as fore the Assistant Harbour Master is Assistant ip consequence of the proposale that were made pay for the collector of light dues, and a sum Emigration Officer.

by the Governor, that instead of retaining these fees his salary should be increased and the fees paid into the treasury, this vote is asked for. The minute was referred to the Fluence Com-

The Acting Colonel Secretary laid the table the minutes of the last meeting of the Finance Committee and moved that the votes

THE POSTMASTER GENERAL'S REPORT. -The-Acting Coloniar, Secretary -laidthe table the Post Office report for 1889.

therein recommended be passed.

Hon. W. M. Goodman, Attorney-General, His Excellency—Gentlemen, in welcoming are shared in by the other members of the Council to the late Acting Attornoy General for the his work, but I have been sufficiently long to express my satisfaction at the manner in which

THE VACCINATION ORDINANCE: 1800. The Acting Colonial Secretary—I have to propose the first reading of a draft Bill antitled an Ordinance to amend the law relating to infant-vaccination; and to provide for the re gistration of all persons vaccinated by a public vaccinator. It will be within the remembrance of hon, members that an Ordinauce on this sub ject already exists, but the Sanitary Board hav ing raised a doubt as to whether one or two the provisions of the old Ordinance were satisfactory in this climate, the Ordinance has been amended to meet the views of that Board. The Bill was read a first time.

THE MAGISTRATES BILL. The ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY-Your Excellency, with reference to the next order of the day, to go into committee on the Magistrates Bill, I have to report that the Select Committee appointed to go through this Bill has not yet concluded its labours, and I therefore beg to propose that the consideration of this Hill in committee be adjourned.

His Excallency—As the report has not yet been brought up, of course we cannot proceed therefore the matter will stand over for the pre-

THE PUBLIC HEALTH ORDINANCE. The Acting Colonial Secretary-I have e move the third reading of a Bill entitled an Ordinance to amond the Public Health Ordinance, 1887. Hon. members will remember that the consideration of this Bill was postponed until this meeting at the suggestion of my hon. friend on my left (Hon. A. P. MacEwen) and my hon, friend opposite (Hon. Ho Kai). I hope they have now arrived at the same conclusion as the Acting Attorney-General arrived at, namely.

that this Ordinance does not in any degree affect the powers of the Sanitary Board. Hon. Ho KAI-Sir, since the third reading of his Ordinance was postponed to enable mysel and other hon, members of Council to satisfy ourselves that the Ordinance does not really interfere with the power of the Banitary Board ever cometeries. I have entistied myself that it ntorferes very slightly with any by-laws which the Sanitary Board might make as regards cemeteries. So, therefore, my opposition to the passing of the Ordinance will be withdrawn entirely. But while withdrawing my objection I may at the same time point that the Ordinance, even if it pass into law, will not I galise these cometeries or make them awful or legal, cometeries. It only takes them away from the penalty imposed by pone this vote until we get the despatches on section 28 of the l'ublic Health Ordinance of 1887, and if in the future there was t law against burying the dead in unnutherised places, similar exceptions would again have to be made. The present Ordinance simply takes the cemeteries mentioned in the schedule away from the operation of section 28 of the Public Health Ordinance, but it does not legalise or. make their legal comsteries. I simply point the matter out for the consideration of the

Council, but I do not propose to oppose the passing of the Ordinance. HIS EXCELLENCY—Do I understand the hon member to say that he does not think the word ing of the Ordinance carries out what it intends

Hon. Ho Kai-Just so; because at any future time if any law be passed the same exception will nearly two months travelling from Jamacht here. have to be made over again. HIE EXCELLENCY—I am much obliged to the appear to be almost an impossibility, so great think, under the circumstandes, it will be better from the Colonial Treasurer. not to take the third reading to-day. The torney-General will have an opportunity of perusing the Ordinance himself and if necessary consulting the late Acting Attorney-General, and

then we shall see our course. The Auring Colonial Secretary move that the third reading be adjourned.

Carried. THE MILITARY CONTRIBUTION, RTC. HIS EXCELLENCY—Gentlemen, I believe that all the business we have to get through to-day, but before we adjourn I wish to say that there are one or two subjects which intend to bring forward at our next meeting. One is that I intend to ask the Council to vote the increased military contribution that has been asked for by the Socretary of State in the despatch which I laid on the table at our last meeting. Circumstances will probably present us from having a meeting of this Council the week after next, and it is very desirable, if it is possible to do so, that we should discuss and settle this question before the first quarter of this venr expires. At the same time, as I mentioned at the last meeting. I am not in any way destrous of bringing this important matter before the Council until every member has had a rec senable opportunity of parusing the Secretary. of State's despatch. Therefore if any member thinks that bringing this forward on Wednesday next would be premature I shall be glad to hear any observations' to that effect, but if no such observations are made I state that I intend o bring the matter forward in order to have it discussed, and, if possible, decided at our next meeting: The second subject to which I refer is one concerning the Standing Orders and Rules under which this Council new works. I find that these rules were passed in the year 1884. I presume in consequence of 'certain' Royal Instruc-

ions that commerced at that date; but since then here have been Royal Instructions issued 1886 and more Royal Instructions in 1888 Those of 18-8 repealed those of 1886, and I should think it most probable those of 1886 repealed those of 1884. Therefore the Standing Orders under which we are now acting-or rather, which we are now fellowing-really have no force, "inasmuch as anless they were continued by some enactment they must have terminated, and I have been unable to find any such: besides which, on examination of the Standing Orders and Rules, and bearing in mind the firesent procedure. I think there are certain of these rules which might be modified with advantage. In these circumstances I will propose at our next meeting that a special committee of this Council should be formed in order to frame new Standing Orders and Rules under the present Instructions, which this Council has power to do, and to propose such amendments of the present Standing Orders as may be ADJOURNMENT.

The Council then adjourned to Wednesday

FINANCE COMMITTEE. A meeting of the Finance Committee was held after the meeting of the Legislative Council

Secretary presiding. THE EPIDEMIC ROSPITAL.

to \$2,640. With this increase, the officer would Whampos Dock Co., with the improvements found officer work out of hours? not receive any fees for examination of masters to be necessary, smounted to \$58,500, being The Colonial TREAURER-If it suited the and mates of the mercantile marine. The fees an excess of \$5,500 beyond the amount already public and if the officer liked to do it, there was would in future be paid into the treasury. He voted. He therefore had to ask the Con mittee not much harm done. Hon. A. P. MACEWEN asked if the contract | wanted to play cricket.

was put up to tender. The CHAIRMAN replied in the affirmative. Hon. C. P. CHATER asked when the hulk was expected to be finished.

The CHAI MAN-In October. The rote was passed. THE ABSISTANT HARBOUR MASTER'S SALARY. better post by and by, a more important post,

and the average fees that he has received for The CHAIRMAN-The next vote is a sum of in connection with the harbour-in connection the Singapore guns have been despatched, and the examination of masters and mates dur. 8720 as addition to the Assistant Harbour with emigration. that they have commenced supplying Hongkong. ing the last three years I believe has been Master's salary. The sum of \$19,000 is pro- The CHAIRMAN-The Harbour Master is There is a muddle in this message. These \$288. Therefore the increase of salary vided for his pay in the Estimates for this Emigration Officer by virtue of his office; there-

of \$240 to \$250 a year has been received as fees for the examination of masters and mates in the mercantile marine. Under instructions from of £50 to Colonel Beaumont for his report on the Right Hon. the Secretary of State the Bokhara Rocks. This was adjourned on the Harbour Master will perform as part of his last occasion to allow hon, members to see the duty as Harbour Master the collection of light papers. He new moved that the amount be dies and the examination of masters and voted mates, and therefore, though you vote the sum of \$720 with one hand, on the other band the sum of \$480 already it or not. The officer had gone away with the

voted to the Collector of Light Duos will lance. and in the same way the balance of \$240 will] he recovered, within a dollar or two, by the fees case, because he gave Colonel Beamment dis. such year for the examination of musters and timetly to understand the matter would have to mates, which will now be paid to the Government. be brought before the Council and Hon. A. P. MACEWEN-What are the duties | submitted.

of the Assistant Harbour Master P

ewer to my question. Has he any specific duties? was to receive something. Because for many years the colony line done very well without an Assistant Harbour Master at al The CHAIRMAN-The office of Assistant Harbour Master was first established in 1867. when the registration of junks was commenced. The hon, member will remember that up to 1867 all the junks were allowed to come into the harbour without any registration whatever. In 1867 they were brought under control, to the great improvement of the revenue and the diminution of piracy on the high seas. At the same time the Assistant Harbour Master was appointed, and there has been one over since except for the last eigh-

Hon, P. Rynge-And who has been doing the duties for the last eighteen months? The CHAIRMAN-The Harbour Master, assist

ed by his clerk. Hon. P. RYRIE-If the Colony could do without an Assistant Harbour Muster for eighteen. months I should think it could do without him Legislative Council yesterday afternoon:altogether.

The COLONIAL TREASUREE-If you can provide a Harbour Master warranted never to get sick, never to want to go away; then you might do without an assistant. Hon. P. Ryrie-The Harbour Master has sometimes been away. Captain Cairns acted for him once, and there are Captain Burnie and Captain Anderson.

The Colonial TREASURER-May I tell you the history of that, Captain Cairns was appointed Acting Harbour Master: he drew the payand I did the work. Hon. P. RYRIE-Without pay

The Colonial TREASURER-I had my pay as Assistant Harbour Mostor. Captain Cuirus attended to his private practice all day loug. and only came to the office for half-an-hour a day, if there were police cases to be brought before him. The whole of the work was done by myself. He signed whatever was put before him. and I can say there is ample work. lion. P. RYRIE-That is not the general

The Colonial TREASURER-Oh! that is the opinion of people who know nothing about itsome oracle who never was near the Harbour Master's office for more than half an hour is his

trath in statements of that kind. The Colonial TREASURER—If you keep on repeating it people begin to think there is some truth in it, but I assure you that I have

Hon. P. Rynts-If you had four offices of course you must have been hard worked. The COLONIAL TREASURER. -The duties of the two latter offices were performed as cutside

Hon. P. RYRIE-I think we had better postthe subject and see how he came to be appointed. The CHAIRMAN-He was appointed by the Secretary of State. Hon, P. Ryatu-But I suppose it was on representations from here.

The CHAIRMAN-Yes. Hon. P. Ryrk-And they took eighteen months to make the appointment. The CHAIRMAN-Yes. A great deal of time. was taken up in offering it to Mr. Hamilton, Principal Magistrate of Laboun, and after a great deal of correspondence he found bimself unable to accept the post. When Mr. Hamilton was unable to accept it—and the correspondence with him went over a great number of months -then the appointment was offered to Captain Hastings, who was in Jamuica, and he has been Hon. P. Rykis-Is Captain Cairns alive still? because I think we might have a very different

Hon. P. RYRIN-Then he was drawing his Gross revenue, 1883

pay under false pretences. The Colonial Treasures—I should like to add that Captain Cairns was administering the office when I was absent for eight or ten months. When I went back I found not a single stroke of the pen had been done towards the registra: Share of other countries

tion of shipping. The CHAIRMAN-I think it is rather going beyond the question to discuss what the Har-

your Master did than. The Colonial TERASURER-Not what the Harbour Master did ----The CHAIRMAN-Or what he did not do.

The COLONIAL TREASURER-But the idea that there is no work for the Assistant Harbour Master is so false, so contrary to fact, that may perhaps be excused for contradicting 'it with some warmth; and the risk of leaving the office of Harbour Master to be filled during absence by some chance outsider would be disastrous to the interests of the Colony that

should be very sorry to see it. Hon. A. P. MACEWEN-Then I take it the appointment is made to provide a substitute should the Harbour Master fall sick. The CHAIRMAN-No: there are duties that fall essentially on the Assistant Harbour Mas-

Hou: A. P. MACEWEN-I asked you what his duties were and you said " to kissist the Harbour Master." Would you tell me what those duties really are h The CHAIRMAN-Well, I can only refer you to the Ordinance of 1879-it is an Ordinance

extending over 30 pages-in which you will see there are regulations for the clearing of boats and issning of anchorage passes; then there is also the collection of the light dues and general control of the harbour. Hon. A. P. MACEWEN-But lie does not

collect the light dues? The CHAIRMAN-Yes, as part of his present salary. The Colonial TREASUREE -That has been alded on. His appointment was to assist in the registration of junks, to give the Harbour Master a responsible officer to go to the out-stations

and see the registration of junks was properly Hon. A. P. MACEWEN-Then we are to no. lerstand his duties are to look after junks. The CHAILMAN-Yes. Hon. A. P. MACEWEN-Well, I am glad he

Hop. P. Ryrie-I think nothing stronger could be advanced against the appointment than what has been said by the hou, member opposite (the Colonial Treasurer). He says he did the duties for four years and officiated in three other capacities. I think nothing stronger

The COLONIAL TREASURER-But the hon. gentlemen should be reasonable. I said I was Sheriff. The duties of that office occupied about two hours a month. Hon. P. Ryrie-And the salary P The COLONIAL TREASURER-There was no

sould be brought forward.

salary. The fees average \$14 a month. I simply yesterday afternoon, the Acting Colonial held the office because no one else wanted it, and I did not wish to throw it up on the sole ground. that it did not pay and was not worth keeping. The CHAIRMAN said the first vote be had to The Coroner's duties were done entirely out of propose was an increase of \$8,500 to complete office hours, so that those duties did not interfere the cost of the epidemic hospital bulk. The with the duties of the Assistant Harbour Master. \$720 as additional salary to the Assistant Har. Estimates for this year provided \$50,000, but Hon. P. Ryele-Did it not occur to the Gobour Master, increasing the salary from \$1,920 | the contract sent in by the Honglong and vernment it was a great injustice to make an

Hon. P. RYRIE-Perhaps you might have

Hon. A. P MACEWEN-Well, it is satisfactory that we have got to know what the duties of this officer are. The question was then put and passed. Hon. P. RYRIE-I vote for it because I hope

the Government will find Captain Hastings a

THE VOTE TO COLONEL BRAUMONT The CHAIRMAN said the next vote was one

Hon, P. Rynie said he thought the Counci yet was bound to pass the vote-whether they liked

idea he would get this The CHAIRMAY said that was not exactly the

Hon. P. RYRIE asked if there was not some-The CHAIRMAN-To assist the Harbour | thing about payment in the Governor's minute. The CHAIRMAN said there was no amoun Hon. A. P. MACEWEN-But that, is no an- specifically mentioned, but Colonal Reaumon

The vote was passed nem. con. THE PURCHASE OF BAXTER HOUSE The CHAIRMAN said the next vote was for the purchase of Baxter House as a police station. but the correspondence and information, on this subject was somewhat lengthy, and it was most desirable hop; members should be placed in possession of full information on the subject. He therefore begged to move that this matter be postponed to a future meeting.

THE ACTING POSTMASTER GE-NERAL'S REPORT FOR 1889

The Committee then adjourned.

The following report by the Assistant Postmuster General, with accompanying letter by the Postmaster General, was laid on the table of the General Post Office.

Hongkong, February 5th, 1899. Sir. - I have the honour to forward herewith a Report on the work of this Department during 1:89, prepared by Mr. Travers, who was in charge of the Department during that year. 2.—Having been absent from the Post Office throughout the whole period under report, I am not in a position to add anything to the facts submitted by Mr. Travers I would ask pormission, however, to arge upon the Government the importance of his representations as to the necessity for a new building. The existing premises were apparently as closely packed as nossible when I left for Europe in 1888, but they are even worse now. The bad air which pervades the whole building, and which no doubt arises mainly from the shockingly overcrowded servants' quarters attached, makes service bere a severe trial to all except those in the most I was Assistant Harbour Master for four years | robust health, whilst the facilities with which the are seriously curtailed from the want of the smallest margin in the -way-of-room. Several important improvements are standing over, as they have been for years, from mere lack of space. think, be that at present occupied, with the sites

3.—The site for the new building should, I of the Supreme Court and Land Office. Hon. P. Rykir-There is always a little trust that the mistake will not be made of cutting down the accommodation provided to what will just, and only just, suffice for the service as it is. It would be well worth while to include several suites of extra rooms. seldom been harder worked than when I was and to let them as offices. As, in the course Harbour Master. It is true I was also Sheriff of years, they came to be required, the tenants could be get rid of and the rooms gradually converted to Government purposes.

4.—It gives me much pleasure to testify to the ability with which the work of the Departmenthas been curried on by Mr. Travers during my long absence, and to the state of efficiency in which I find it on my return. I know from past experience how heavy a task is imposed on any one who attempts to conduct this Department as the only Envish officer in it. The more strain on endurance and physical strength in this exhausting climate is often very severe, and Mr. Travers is to be congratulated on having (I fear at some secrifice of health) conducted the Department alone for eighteen months without occasion for serious complaint of any kind.-I have the honour to be, Sir, your most obedient servant.

A. LISTER. Postmaster General. The Honourable F. Fleming, C.M.G. Colonial Secretary &c., &c., &c.

General Post Office. Hongkong, 31st January, 1890. Sir.-I have the henour to report on the British Postal Service in Hougkong and China

during the year 1889. 2.—The date on which this Report has to be story from him from the one we have received sent in makes it impossible to detail the Revenue The COLOIAL TREASURER-He quite admitted of the Department for 1889, which will not be what I have stated. We were on perfectly good | definitely ascertained for some months to come. The Revenue for 1888 was as follows:-

> \$164,452.70 Contribution towards P. & O. subsidy

Conveyance of mails

3.—Approximate statistics for the year 1889 are appended. They show a general increase of 1.—A Steam-Launch has been provided, and by its means the landing and delivery of mails has been accelerated. It has also enabled me to establish a Kowloon delivery which, judging,

by the growing requirements of that place,

appeared to me necessary. At the same time a Harbour delivery was introduced. 5.—Lam glad to see that at last the necessity for a new Post Office has been recognised, but would venture to suggest that's more suitable site than North Barracks be selected. It appears to me that the Post Office should be somewhere in the vicinity of Pedder's Wharf, which is not only central, but the most convenient spot so far as the general public are concerned. In my last report I remarked very strongly on the question of accommodation, and now that a new building has been, I hope, decided upon, I would urge that the work be put

in hand with as little delay as possible. liough

plans of the rooms more essentially necessary. howing their best arrangement and grouping, have been prepared in this Department. 6.—In May last the French Covernment consented to our request to allow Marine Officers to travel on the Messageries Maritimes Packets with a view of sorting the French mails, and all arrangements to carry out this Service were completed in June, but a difficulty then arose from the fact that the Agents des Postes were without authority to hand the mail over to our Officers before arrival in Hongkong. The matter was again referred to the French Post Office, but up to the present time no reply has been received, though a settlement of the question in the direction desired may be expected very shortly. The Colony is much indebted

to the Vicomte de Bezaure, French Consul, for the warm interest he has taken in this scheme and for his constant efforts to bring it to a suc-7.-In March last the Postmaster General (Hon. Alfred Lister) during his absence on leave worked out the details of a scheme for Local Delivery, and recommended that a certain sum be placed on the Estimates of this year to defray the expenses in connection with it. This was done, and if it is approved by the home Authoritiest a long felt want will be supplied. By Local Delivery must be understood the distribution, not only of correspondence originating in the Colony, but also of that which is constantly arriving by Local Steamers

from China, Japan, Mauila, the Straits, &c. The Colony will recoive the following advantages :-(a.) In the town, regular deliveries of Local Correspondence quite independent of either the arrival or departure of Contract Mails. These deliveries will take place every hour from 8.30

.(b.) In the Suburbs there will be three deliveries each day. (c.) All local correspondence will be delivered

exactly as addressed. 8.—It was suggested to me during the year by several members of this Community that it

would be a great convenience to the public if something could be done, to notify as early as possible the arrival of steamers, so that mails could be sent for at once. I accordingly placed a notice board in a conspicuous place outside the Office for this purpose, and endeavoured to obtain the earliest notice of the arrival of steamers. This system, however, does not work at all satisfactorily. The launch men of this Department, engaged in other duties, frequently fail to report arrivals, and the consequence is that the mails are kept

• 14 years at \$6,000 a year. tlapproval has now been received, 11,8,80

on board until it is convenient for the Agent or to his employer and told a pitcous tale-well- A portable house of paper has recently been Captain to land them, which is very often hours known to every resident in China—that he had constructed in Hamburg. The walls consist of after arrival. The only way really to meet the suddenly lost his father and had no money to double layers of paper, of which the interior one difficulty would be by efficient electric com- bury him, would be please advance three months' is impregnated against fire, and the exterior one munication with Officers stationed at the Eastern | wages. The foreigner in the kindness of his against moisture. The room is fixed in frames, and Western entrances to the Harbour.

heart granted his request. This put the "boy" which can easily be attached to each other. The house is intended to serve as restaurant, and conthat the Salaries of our Postal Agents should dollars; he evidently thought he had done tains a dining room ninety feet long. be raised to such suris in dollars as will fairly well enough; he was satisfied with his success. represent the amount of £100 per annum, the and immediately disappeared. So anddenly and , No heavier indictment could be framed against

circumstances.

The total number despatched and received in the Earth beneath."

received 527 parcels, and by the New Year's some disease which they know not how to check; without me, dearest-L-good-bye-" Starts Mail 576. These are the heaviest mails that they are also experiencing other reverses. They for door. "Harry!" He pauses. "Agnes!"

bested, a great convenience to the public. The 3,711 and 288 respectively. I must again record side the west gate, and the other an Imperial throw myself at your feet. Say that bliseful my thanks to the manager of the High Level temple just inside the south gate. Here the word which will make you mine." But my hus-Tramway Company for allowing our postmen to officials in due time assemble and worship the band?" "Oh, he doesn't count."

enclosures in newspapers, &c., the following may thousand years and ten thousand times ten thou- Leicester by the sadden death of two men with-

would much rather they had not been sent News correspondent. Unfortunately the sendors could not be dis-

17.—Several Parcels falsely declared were confiscated by the Customs Authorities.

speak too highly of his sorvices. to all the Officers employed in this Department good to be true. A surplus above fixed charges in the case of Boot from syncope, and in the for the very efficient manner in which they have of \$2,250,000 is indeed a showing of which any case of Marlow from failure of the heart's acperformed their duties.—I have the honour to management may be proud, and if this wore tion, the cause in each case being practically the be, Sir, Your obedient Servant.

ARTHUR K. TRAVERS. Assistant Postmaster General. The Honourable A. Lister, Postmaster Gen eral, &c., &c., &c.

POLICE COURT.

19th March. BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

THE ALLEGED PIRACY CASE. Tse Kwai Yan was brought up on remand charged with committing a piracy on the 29th December last.

remand. STEALING COAL

Japanese S. N. Co., at Wanchai, stated that he neet it with roads whose receipts per ton up the apartment. saw the defendant with six others go into a coal- per mile average only \$102, a figure for junk and help themselves to some coal from a below that roling on the main line. It may and they ran away, but defendant was caught. this direction, although increasing the total of Mille. Godon de Frileuse contested the validity

coolies to steal coal from the boats. months' imprisonment.

Loung Akwai, on the 19th inst. about \$1.

fendant attempted to run away. weeks' imprisonment.

FOOCHOW.

15th March. The bad weather we have had has caused the price of rice to go up, and we have been informed. it has advanced thirty contra pionl. The fire at the foot of Kushan as reported in

our last issue originated, we learn, in the kitch-

ignately up to the present there are no signs of show an exceptionally large surplus. Its officials a flood. Such an occurrence would cause an have at once declared a supplementary dividend immense amount of damage to the numerous on the assumption that the present percentage men could not venture into their quarters, but Direct pole rafts waiting shipment by junks just above of expenses represents the average of the future. the bridge. Another unfortunate gambler put an end to

his life by hanging himself on the trees close by they have received all that the Canadian Governthe princess's grave on Wednesday last. Only ment is likely to give them, and that in future one dollar we learn, which he borrowed from they will have to rely on the investing public." a relation and lost in gambling, was the cause of __Manchester Guardian. the rash act. In the face of numerous such cases: it is indeed to be regretted that the authorities allow all sorts of gambling to go on under their very eyes in the bye streets.

be the buying capacity of foreign tea merchants dearest? Angelina-Lam opposed to the baleful he had considerable play, and getting possession for the coming season, and the amount of ad- influence of trusts. Suppose you put your pro- of an iron bar he swept, the decks. He wound vances they can rely upon to enable them to possi in writing and avoid possible misunderoperate in the new leaf. Such an unusual pro- standings. ceeding at such an early date looks rather fishy, and we would strongly advise those who have money to loan to be very careful, and to bear always in mind that the teamen's losses last season were tremendous, and in nine cases out of ten are irremediable.—Echo.

KIUKIANG.

8th March.

dollars which sum was also paid. Then he went | whese signal it had heard.

a foreign resident here has been showing "how flatly refused to go home, and had to be carried he can do it" when he sets himself about it. to her brougham. Next day found her indis-And the foreigner has had to pay for the ex- posed, and thus the services of the under study perience. It was somewhat in this wise. Mr. were requisitioned. had in hard cash some fifty-six dollars which

hands of the Assistants at the Consulutos for is to be hoped he will be caught, as this kind of education." Dr. Wilson thinks that there is now ome time to come. This is much to be regret- conduct deserves very severe punishment. ted, as it perpetuates a crippled and make shift The Magistrate Kin, who centrals the Teh than there was in the last generation. "Our nervice which can never, by any diligence or Hus District is to be removed to the Kuangsing English ideal of young ladies," he thinks is somecare on the part of the Officers employed, do. Prefecture. No one will regret his removal. what lacking in "a sort of intensity of life, of velope into a properly organised Postal System He is an old man who occupied the magistracy vivacity, of willingness to take trouble, to in-I am bound to say, however, that, bad as the here ten years ago. He is bitterly anti-foreign torest and be interested," which (though it is existing organisation is (and I hope this year and has put every possible obstacle in the way hardly equivalent) be compares to the "smartwill see it a little better) the Agents at the parts of foreign movements, especially hindering the ness" characteristic of American ladies. "We have done the best work possible under existing purchase of land by missionaries. It was he must be on our guard," he observes. "lest any 11 -- Arrangements were made in May last for giving a plot of land to the church for the pur, actually increase this deliciency." the exchange of parcels between this colony and pose of erecting a chapel. In the place of the Cochin-China, Camboge, Toogking, and Annam. present Magistrate we are to have a man named The mellow drama-! I'm only a rough fel-12.—The number of Parcels received and do Chaug from the Chekiang province. This low, Mary, I don't wear fine-clothes and use They say he has a daring disposition and fears -" Take me, Bill, I've leved you all my

1888 was 10,593. There is therefore an increase At a place about ten & from here the farmers I'm going far away. I will trouble you no more. 13.—By the Christmas Mail from Europe we pigs, and buffaloes are dying apparently from for your sake: I trust you will be happy are making themselves poorer by miserable mum. They rush to each other, "Then you love me 14.—Money Orders may now be exchanged mery. Dragon lanterns are carried about and after all?" "Why, of course, you silly boy. with France and Algeria through the medium of dedicated to various shrines and priests have Couldn't you see I was only trying to make you 15.—The Peak Delivery has proved as I ex- chants and prayers and other ceremonies,

Emperor, who is represented by a tablet bearing Iti. - Among the many instances of fraudulout characters which mean "To the Emperor of ton

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RATEWAY

Commenting on the position of the Canadian 18 .- The late Compradore Ching Taun. after | Pacific Railway Company, the Canadian Journal possible every year the Candian Pacific would same. The jury returned verdicts of death be a veritable gold mine to its shareholders. from natural causes. This year they will receive a supplementary dividend of one per cent. payable on February Chin Chee, godown keeper employed in the Its expansion to Detroit and Windsor will con- Centre tables, divens, easy chairs, sefas, &c., fill blac

His Worship sentenced the defendant to three and thus involve a corresponding increase in the "other world," and they made the acquaintance The percentage of working expenses. At present of a Madame Chapitey and a M. Thomas, who the working expenses are certainly abnormally acted as mediums in the seances held in the Leung Asan, carpenter, was charged with low, 60.2 per cent being a figure which it may be | Chatesu of Audillon, the country seat of the s'ealing two planks of wood, the property of doubted if any other trunk or transcontinental Baron de Martres. After having removed to line on the American continent can equal. But Paris the Baron died, and his wife came more The complainant said he was master of the will the percentage always remain at this figure? | than ever under the influence of Madame Chapi-Num Chang carpenter shop, 23, Gough Street. If it should, the future prosperity of the road is tey and M. Thouars, so much so that she made The wood produced was his property and worth assured. But it is almost certain that, like all her will in their favour. Both Madame de other new roads, its percentage of working Martres and Madamo Chapitey have since died, Tang Kung, a watchman, said about 4.30 a.m. expenses will steadily increase until it approxi- and Thomas is accordingly the sole legatee, on the 19th inst, he saw the defendant carrying mates closely to that of the other roads work. | Some amusement was caused during the hearing | Nac the wood. Witness challenged him, and the de- ing under similar conditions. During the year of the case by the testimony of M. Pelletier de Sha under review the company was operating an en. Martres, who had attended some of the spiritua-His Worship sentenced the defendant to six tirely new road. Its roadbed, rolling stock, listic seances, and came to the conclusion that Hou and the cost of operation as low as is possible. But as the read grows older the cost of repairs, of maintenance, and of replacement will steadily increase. Lecomotives and rolling stock will wear out. Tracks and trestle-bridges will have to be relaid and replaced; and therefore year by year we shall see the percentage of working ex. tain Sargent), from the west coast of Africa, He penses mount higher and higher, and the surplus has arrived at Boston after a remarkable voyage. Bos en chimney. About eight houses were destroy- consequently decrease in exactly similar ratio, Captain Sargent said that between the gales Manila ed, and a large amount of send paddy was also Not only this, but the Canadian Pacific was and the nature of his cargo, he had an experience favoured with exceptionally good weather last he does not wish again to meet. Besides a re-We understand that owing to losses sustained winter, and thus the cost of hauling freight fell gular cargo there were twelve snakes, 400 cocksthrough the searcity of fish last season, as we largely under the usual ratio. The Canadian toos and parrots, an ourang-outang, some monreported some time ago, many fishermen are un. Pacific has been enabled by the fact that but keys, two crocodiles, and a gorilla, which he was able to proceed this season to the fishing grounds very few repairs were required, and by unusually. bringing from Africa for a musually. Rats caused favourable climatic conditions, to reduce the per-The torrents of rain during the last week have centage of its working expenses to a level only caused the usual freshet in the river, but for possible in an entirely new road, and thus to provided for them. During a gale the snakes and

They wish to increase the credit of north-western

OLLA PODRIDA.

Four teamen from the Soomoo district have . Augustus (who had just proposed and has been

A very curious story is told of a certain talented donkey called Bess, who has been entertaining the audiences at a London music Itall. One day the place of the charming asinine prima donna was taken by an under study. Enquiries revealed the fact that Bees had; in an evil moment, partaken of more alcoholic beverages than were good for her. A pint of stout was followed by several glasses, which gave place to Scotch whisky. Need the end be related? One of the Canton "boys" in the employ of After cutting extraordinary capers the "artiste"

told the shroff he should send round to him Phonograph stories grow with the spread of by the "boy" to be placed to the credit of his the instrument. Colonel Gourand brings home personal account. The "boy" overheard this rather a good one: It is told about one of Mr. and thought he saw a chance of getting posses. Edison's assistants, who being some distance sion of a good round sum of money. He con- from home, was accustomed to communicate with ceived a bold scheme and as boldly put it his family by the assistance of the phonograph. into execution. He first, forging his employer's He spoke his thoughts into the phonograph, took name, wrote an order on the shroff for fifty- ont the wax cylinder on which his words were six dollars; the shroff remembering his impressed, and posted it home. On its arrival it former conversation, but not having clearly was placed in the phonograph, the machine set understood, evidently, whether he was to revolving, and the message came forth. The receive fifty-six dolfars or pay it, handed the absentee had a favourite dog to which he was "boy" the required sum. The fifty-six dollars much attached. In one of his phonographs he handed to the boy to be carried by him to the sent his love to the dog, finishing with a whistle, shroff together with this other fifty-six, gave The dog was lying quietly on the hearth while him one hundred and twelve dollars in hard the message was being read, but when the whistle cash. This youth now forged another foreigner's came forth it Jumped up, bounding all over the name on the same shroff for a trifle over twenty, room and out at the door to look for the master,

original pay of the larger Agencies, or £50 in bastily did he go that he left his bedding and any system of education than that it was producthe case of the smaller Offices. I am glad to see clothing all behind him. Where he has gone to tive of deliness. The Head Master of Clifton that His Excellency the Governor has, subject no one, of course, knows. He may have gone College, addressing an audience of High School to the special of the Secretary of State for the overland to Canton, though this is not very pro- girls recently, thought'it necessary to atter a bable. The Pachua was in harbour at the time warning upon this head. "Anyone, mistress or Nothing further has been done, so far and just about to go, it is therefore most likely girl," observes Dr. Wilson, as reported in the as I know, with regard to handing over our he jumped into a sampan and wout off in her. Journal of Education, "who makes good education of Agencies in China to the Customs, and it seems If so, nost likely, unless he is unusually sharp, tion to be associated with dulness and beredom only too probable that they will continue in the he will put in an appearance in Shanghai. It and insipidity is a traiter to the cause of higher less of good spirits and hearty enjoyment of life who wanted to punish a native Christian for school ideals, of study and bookishness should

"neither powers in the Heavens above nor on life." Throws herself in his arms. The so-the Earth beneath." and shopkeepers are having a bad time; cows, I am going to leave friends, home, everything been employed to exercise the evil spirit by their jealous?" French drama-" Without you life would be a blank. I could not five-I would Two new tomples have been recently erected, kill myself. You are my all. Your presence has unmber of letters despatched and received is one the temple of "Great Completeness" just in- enthralled me. Say but the word and I will

A good deal of excitement has been caused in sand years." The presence of this temple oppo. in a few hours after making a very singular bet. Mrs. _____. China, posted a newspaper site the Girls Bearding School of the Methodist A merchant named Boot and an herbalist known prepaid as a single paper, but containing a dezen | Episcopal Mission makes it very difficult to as " Professor " Marlow were in a public-house extend the school compound by purchase of a together drinking when they made a bet as to to a ledy, containing six pairs of gloves and lest they should injure the fung shul of the longest liver. Singularly enough both These were duly forward d, letter rate being be hindered and hampered in their business were dead in less than three hours and a half. charged, and I have no doubt the addressees transactions by such useless nonsense?-Daily Mr. Boot died first, suddenly, and within half an hour " Professor" Marlow also expired. An unfounded rumour was circulated to the effect that Marlow had given Boot some medicine to sober him which had caused his death, and that Marlow having himself taken some of the same medicine also expired suddenly. The circum-23 years service, relired on pension. I'em not of Commerce observes that the statements of stances were so extraordinary that the coroner the results of the working for the year past ordered inquests to be held in both cases, but 19.—In conclusion I have to express my thanks [estimating December's earnings] seem almost too | the medical evidence showed that death, resulted

The costliest doll's house probably in the 17th, in addition to the regular one and a half world is that made by a resident of Chicago for per cent. guaranteed by the the Deminion Go. his four-year-old daughter, at a cost of \$3,500. vornment, or at the rate of five per cent, per It is built of brick, with a tower and cupola like annum, and it is intended to continue this sup. on ancient castle, and looks for all the world like plementary dividend until the expiry of the Go. In reproduction of the great modern residence of vernment guarantee in 1893. The directors go some millionaire. It has a little flight of steps gars, further than this, and, with a pardonable con- leading up to the solid oak front door, and an Mani fidence in the future of their, road, speak caluly electric push-bell for the convenience of the baby | bales of forming the surplus earnings after payment visitors of the happy mistress of the house. On 85 ba of this supplementary dividend into a dividend this door, which, by the way, is four feet high, change reserve fund. It must, however, be remem- is the name of the proprietor on a silver plate. packs bered that there is a reverse-side to this There is a hallway lighted by a miniature gas terda favourable showing. In the first place, the lamp suspended from the ceiling, and it is finish- longer Sergeant Honson stated that nothing further balance-sheet shows a handsome increase in the ed in the choicest of hard woods. There are sund had been heard and that he applied for a further gross earnings of the read, due to the gradual umbrella and hat racks of appropriate dimen-cargo expansion of the company's business in the Un- sions. Elegant draperies cover the parlour For de Worship granted a further remand to the lited States; and in the second place; a reduction doors, and the parlour is littled up in grand style. boxes in the working expenses of 325,000dols. It is to The furniture is all of white enamelied wood, dries the latter rather than the former that the ex- covered with white brocaded silk. There is a coffe Lo Atong was churged with stealing 250 cat- cellent showing made must be attributed. The bandsome mantel filled with bric-a-brac and little 25 ca ties of coal, the property of Sam silling, on the Canadian Pacific can hardly expect to make lamps. A beautiful chandelier, furnished with ginge much profit out of its American connections, real gas, hangs from the centre of the room. For

Judgment has now been given in Paris in a number of baskets. Witness called out to them fairly be said, then, that its expansion in remarkable case connected with spiritualism. A Tung Kiu, P.C. 249, stated that at 8 a.m. on its gress receipts, cannot be looked upon as a of the will of her mother, an American lady, the 19th inst he took the defendant into custody. source upon which to base any belief in a higher who married the Baron de Marires in 1863. Witness stated that it was a common offence for percentage of profit. In fact it is almost certain Both the Baron and his wife had a weakness for The to cause a decrease in the ratio per ten per mile. holding communion with the inhabitants of the The rails, stations, and engines were all new, and of his relatives were mad. Madame Chapitey had had the most improved type. Consequently the made them believe anything, and passed before Man amount of repairs required was at a minimum, them as the shade of Louis XIV., Henri IV., Any Francis I., and Napoleon the Great respectively. Madame de Martres closely examining each with ghost on the history of its epoch. The Tribunal Tol validated the will.

The overdue British barque Margaret (Capthe death of all but four of the cookatoos and parrots by eating up all the corn that had been crocodiles broke out of their boxes in the hold and invaded the forecastle, so that for five days the had to live in the cabins. These reptiles, along Force with the rate, kept up a continual warfare until Went enterprises, as "they are perfectly aware that the surviving erocodile killed the last snake, and Rain completed the chain of vengeance by being killed during a fierce storm by some of the cargo falling on it. During the scrimmage among the reptiles the monkeys took to the rigging and stuck there despite all efforts to dislodge them. Finally they were all washed away except four which were captured. The worst passenger was a five foot gorilla, which was imprisoned in a stout wooden box. The top of this come down, we understand, to ascertain what will accepted)-And will you always trust the, the snimal forced off, but though held by a chain up by partially scalping the negro cook one day, and only letting go after he had been nearly killed with an axe. All the men were more or less burt by the beast, and he led them a life

of terror. COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	WEDNESDAY, 19TH MARCH;
2 .	EXCHANGE.
ON	London.
	Telegraphic Transfer3/03
	Bank Bills, on demand3.07
1.55	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight3,1
	Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/14
	Credits, at 4 months' sight3/16
	Documentary Bills, 4 months' sight 8/14
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	Bank Bills, on demand
	Credits, at 4 months' sight3.97
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ON	NEW YORK
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RHSS, THURSDAY		PM, 1690.
JOINT STOCK B COMPANY. PAID UP.		NOTICES OF FIRMS
Banks-	WOOTKITONS.	NOTICE.
Hongkong & Shai 1125	194 p.ot. pm., ex div.	The state of the s
New Oriental 210 Rrown & Co., H. G., 550	211 \$50	MY INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY in the FIRMS of Messrs. D. D. OLLIA &
Brown & Co., H. G		Co., at Hongkong, Amoy, Foochow, Taiwantoo,
China Sugar Selection 100	\$212, ex div.	Takow, and Tamsui CEASED on the 1st day of
Ohinese Lean 84	3 n. ct. prem., nom.	February, 1890.
Chinese Loan 84, 31 7 500	5p. ct. prem., nom.	F. C. KEEKA.
Chinese Loan 86 4 250 Cruickshank & Co 50	\$42, nom.	Foodbaw, 6th February, 1890. 617
Dairy Farm Co \$10		NOTICE.
Darvel Bay Tradius 188	par	CONTRACTO ST. MICONIA T. TURGO SETURE
Fenwick & Co., Geo. \$25 Gordon & Co., A. G., \$25	\$30, nom. \$25, nom.	COMPTOIR NATIONAL D'ESCOMPTE
Gordon & Co., A. G \$25- Green Island Cement \$50	\$40	DE PARIS.
H. Brick & Cement. \$17.50	\$15	URING my Absence Mr. L. GLENAT
H. & C. Bakery \$50		takes Charge of this Agency.
Hongkong & C. Gas.		CHANTREY INCHBALD,
Hongkong Electric \$100		Agent, Hongkong
Hongkong Ice \$25	\$106, ex div.	Hongkong, 17th March, 1890 658
H. & K. Whorf & G.	\$95 nom.	AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL & BUILDING
H. Steam Laundry 350	\$105, nom.	COMPANY, LIMITED.
Hongkong Rope	53 p. et. pm.	R. JOHN ANDREW having Resigned the Speretaryship of the Company, Mr.
The same of the sa	A 102 A	the Sporetaryship of the Company, Mr.
Austin Arms \$25	5 p. ct. dis., sellers	HENRY HUMPHREYS has been appointed
Rongkong Hotel \$100 Do. Debentures. \$500	\$200 \$601	ACTING SECRETARY
Peak Hotel	\$25	The Registered Office has been Removed to
Insurances—	4-1	36, Queen's Road Central (over the Hongkong
Conton		Dispensary).
China Fire \$20		For the Directors,
Chine Traders \$25	\$72 \$80, nom.	JNO. D. HUMPHREYS, Chairman
Chinese Insurance \$200 Hongkong Fire \$50	\$360, ex div.	Hongkong, 15th March, 1890. 1665
North-China 250	Tls. 350	The state of the s
Singapore		AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL & BUILDING
Straits Fire \$20 Straits Marine \$20		COMPANY, LIMITED.
Straits Marine		MR. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS has been appointed Managing Director of
Yangtsze	T7s. 02	A appointed Managing Director of
Land & Building-	400	the above Company. HENRY HUMPHREYS,
H. Land Investm't \$50 Kowleon Land Inv. \$30		Acting Secretary.
200 H 20 - 20 H 1 - 2 - 2 - 1	\$16	Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. 666
Richmond Terrace. \$100	\$200	
	Tls. 334	ON WEDNESDAY, 26th March.
West Point Buildg. \$40 Luzon Sugar \$100		A CONCERT,
	\$6, nom.	Under the distinguished Patronage of
Mining-		His Excellency the Administrator, Honourable
Balmoral Gold \$10	\$12	FRANCIS FLEMING, C.M.G.,
Charbonnages \$131.58	\$425 \$6	His Excollency Vice-Admiral Sir NOWELL
Punjom \$10	\$16	SALMON, V.C., K.C.B., His Excellency Major-General J.B. ED WARDS,
Selama	504	C.B., R.E.,
Perak Sugar Tls. 50	Tis, 31	AND
Planting— East Borneo \$40	CCT 2	IN AID OF THE FUNDS
	\$20, nom.	or
Lamag Planting \$25	\$80	THE ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL,
Songoi Kovah 5-10	\$25	will be given by
Shanghai Water Tls. 200 Shanghai Water 220	1 T18. 220 1 235	Maestro CATTANEO'S PUPILS
Steamship Coys.	200	Kindly assisted by
China & Manila. \$50	\$115	Mrs. Gillies, Miss Howard, & Mr. G. Von
China Shippers' £13		WILLE, IN THE
Douglas S. S. Co \$50 H., Canton, & M \$20		St. GEORGE'S HALL.
Indo-China S. N £10	35 p. ct. dis.	Commencing at 9 P.M.
Steam Launch \$30	nom.	PROGRAMME.
Trust & Loan Co		PART I.
Watson & Co., A. S. 310	\$22	1.—March, Faust, by Chorus by Lady and
		Gounod Gentlemen Amateurs
OPIUM.		2.—Aria, for Soprano, Mia) Miss IONEZ Piccorella, Salvator Ro- > D'ALWADA E
Per 1	Pioul. Allow'ce.	Piccerella, Salvator Ro- D'ALWADA E sa, by Gomes
New Malwa5520	B taels.	3.—Romanza for Bari-)
Last vear's New Molwa \$530	8 to2catties	tono, Una ballo in Mas- C. GRACE
Old Malwa) 8 "tol.".	chers, by Verdi
Older Malwa\$540) up to 8 taels.	4.—Augel's Serenade for Mrs. A. G. GORDON
Fatna (New)	POF URBED.	Alto, by Braga, with Mr. G. VON WILLE
LANDERS LATER LAND CONTRACTOR	10. 10.	Violin accompaniment) 5.—Quartette for Sopr. Miss.E. CARVALHO
EXPORT CA	EGO.	Mezzo sopr. Tenor & Mrs. M. Guedes
Per Norddeutscher Lloyd	the man of the man of the large of the large of the	Baritone, Rigoletto, by Mr. C. LAMMERT
sailed on the 16th March:		Verdi
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tobacco, from Manila. For	Bremen—25 rolls	by Raff Miss C. Souza
mats, 2 dozes silks, 5 boxes s cars, from Manils, and 9	CARRE COTTON FROM	7.—Grand Aria & Ca- baletta for Soprano,

	D. CATTER POPPO TOT NO.	have d' womanne meas .
EXPORT CARGO.	Mezzo sopr. Tenor	& Mrs. M.
er Norddeutscher Lloyd's steamer Sachsen	Baritone, Rigoletto,	by Mr. C. L.
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from Manila, and 9 cases ouries, from	baletta for Soprano	THE WAR
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ales tobacco, from Manila, and 5 bales mer-		B. M. JA
dise. For Genoa—10 boxes essential oil, 8	The state of the s	Mr. C. Lamm
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(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles country by country, with the addresses all one way.)
10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. EUCHS' TRADE LISTS OF ALL 10.30 A.M. - Posting of newspapers, books, and patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M. - Mail closes.

LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOL DEBTS Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the OWNERS, will be RES ONSIRLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :--Bellona, Ger. str., Haesloop.—Siemssen & Co. CYCLE, Brit. str., New .- Chinese.

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CATHAY.... -CHAPTER

REGULAR CONVOCATION will held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zotland Street, on TUESDAY, the 25th inst. at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Hongkong, 14th March, 1890.

No. 1165.

THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED. 13. PRAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

The TELEPHONE EXCHANGE is not in working order. Subscription, \$80 per Annum. Electrical Material on sale, or hire. Electric Brils fitted and maintained. Agents for ELECTRIC LIGHTING. Estimates free for all kinds of Electrical work: . A. SANDFORD.

Hongkong, 1st December, 1888. PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE. RS. FALCONER will have vacancies for Gentlemen Resident Boarders at Kowloon after 3lst January. Hongkong, 10th January, 1890. FOR SALE,

ULES MUMM CHAMPAGNE, Qts. \$20 & Pts. \$21. DUBOS FREEES & DE GERNON & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS,

WHITE WINES. CHAU. LEOVILLE, at \$23 per Case of 1 doz. CHAU. MARGAUX, at \$28 BAXTER'S "BARLEY BREE," (Colebrated 7 years' Old WHISKY, at \$8.25 per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, 10th November, 1888. TONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION THE KWOON KWAN YEEN CHALLEGE CUPS value \$200 and, \$100 respectively. Also two Consolation Cups value \$100 each. The 1st Stage of the Seventh Competition

will take place next SATURDAY, the 22nd instant, at 2.15 p.m. commencing, at 300 yards. Entrance Fee. 30 cents. A Launch will leave the P. & O. Wharf 2 pm. to take over intending Competitors. The Second Stage will be shot off on SATUR-DAY, the 29th instant.

-CHAS. V. LADDS. Honorary Secretary, Address Victoria Hotel. Hongkong, 17th March, 1890.

AN LOONG, of CANTON, has always hand for Sale BEST PRESERVED MEAT, SOY, &c. Price moderate. The undersigned is also entrusted with the Sale of PRESERVES, &c., of CHY LOONS MAN LOONG, Canton.

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TUTLER PALMER & Co. ESTABLISHED IN LONDON, 1815. Are represented in China by Messrs, Sirmssen, & Co.,.... LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. & by

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MOUTONin quarts and pints. · LAROSEin quarts and pints. ST. ESTEPHE" in quarts and pints. MARGAUX-Medoc in quarts and pluts. LIQUEUR,

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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-obarged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will Lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONthe 15th inst.

Goods undelivered after the 22nd instant, will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods of formed that all goods are being landed must be left in the Godowns, where they will be at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon examined at 11 A.M. on the 21st inst. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Bougkoug, 14th March, 1890. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

JEDDAH, SUAKIM, MASSAWAH, HO-DEDDA, ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO, HE Steamship "MEDUSA,"

having arrived from the above ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godownsknown as "The Hongkong Wharf and Godowns," Wanchai, whence delivery may be

Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on

the Wharf are at liberty to do so. The 8. S. Medusa baving stranded near Suakim, all the Consignees of cargo shipped at ports before her strival at Aden will have to sign Average Bond before delivery of the cargo. This Vessel brings on cargo :--From Calcutta and Madras, Ex S. S. Niobe, transhipped at Colombo. From Trieste, &c., Ex S. S. Maria Teresa and Imperairiz, transhipped at Bombay. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be

sent in to the Undersigned before NOON on the 24th instant, or they will not be recognized No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 24th instant will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be counteragned by DAVID BASEOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, 18th March, 1890. Hengkong, 17th March, 1890,

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship

WINGSANG." [281] baving arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf-and Godowns Company, Limited, at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained. instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Con- FINHE Company's Steamer signees are requested to present all claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the Sist instant, otherwise they will not be re- Captain J. Fowler, will be despatched for the

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, LIVERPOOL, AND SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship

"MOYUNE." having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk, into the godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Captain G. Mettel, will be despatched as above Godown Company, Kowloon, whence delivery TO-DAY, the 20th inst., at Noon. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods 5 P.M. prior to date of sailing.

sont in to the office of the Undersigned before Freight, apply to Noon on the 22nd inst., or they will not be All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 22nd inst., at 4 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 22ud instant will be subject to rent.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 10 A.M. TO-DAY. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

"BELLONA." Captain C. Haesloop, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from. Option Cargo will be forwarded unless

TO-DAY. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 20th inst. will be subject

notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M.,

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th inst., at 4 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, 14th March, 1890. STEAMSHIP " CONGO." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES maritimes. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

NOTICE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London - and Havre. Ex S. S. Erymanthe and

exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless rates. Electric Light, Deck Cabins, Surgeon before 10 A.M., TO-DAX (FEIDAY), requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS. DAY, the 20th March, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges at one cent per package per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before

he 22nd March (SATURDAY), or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 14th March, 1890. GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. TIHE Steamship

"GLENARTNEY," aving arrived from the above Ports. Consignees Cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice

the contrary be given before 11 A.M., TO-Cargo remaining undelivered after the 20th inst. will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Con-

signees are requested to present all claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 27th instant, otherwise they will not be ecognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 13th March, 1890. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "CARDIGANSHIRE," DON. PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in-Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowlson, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M., TO-DAY. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 25th instant will be subject to rent. | Captain W. L. Brown, will leave for the above All claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 25th LIGHT. instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 18th March, 1890.

Bill of Lading will be countersigned by

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "EDENDALE." FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may

be obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the centrary be given before Noon, No claims will be admitted after the Goods

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining | | THE Company's Steamship after the 25th inst, will be subject to rent. All claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 25th inst., or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH. FOR NAGASAKI KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship "EDENDALE." Captain Humphrey, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 20th inst., at EIGHT A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 19th March, 1890. FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 23rd THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM BHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

"MONGKUT." above Ports TO-DAY, the 20th inst., at Eight A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,

Hongkong, 18th March, 1890. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR BINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID BRINDISI, TRIESTE, and VENICE Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA. MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT & ADRIATIO PORTS HE Company's Steamship

Cargo will not be received on Board after have left the Godowns, and all claims must be For Further information as to Passage and DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co.,

> Hongkong, 19th March, 1890, OCEAN STEAMBHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship Captain Riley, will be despatched as above TO DAY, the 20th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 14th March, 1890.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, AND HAMBURG. (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LONDON, LIVER-POOL, and BREMEN). HE Steamship

"LYDIA." Cantain Forck, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 21st inst., at For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, 12th March, 1890. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

NAGASAKI (Passing through the INLAND SEA) ---THE Company's Steamship "GENERAL WERDER,"

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE, AND

Captain M. Eichel, will leave for the above Ports on or about the 21st inst. For further particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hougkong, 17th March, 1890. STEAM TO LONDON VIA BOMBAY AND MARSEILLES, Calling at INTERMEDIATE PORTS THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

Bubjoined are some of the items consigned by are hereby informed that their Goods, with the places at DAYLIGHT, on SATURDAY, the places at DAYLIGHT, on SATURDAY, the 22nd inst. This vessel is disconnected from the mail ser-Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be vices, but has excellent accommodation for through passengers (first saloon only) at reduced

E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent Hongkong, 19th March, 1890. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA: THE Company's Steamship

'WINGSANG.' Captain St. Croix, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 22nd instant, at THREE TIA INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKO-

This steamer has superior first class accom. Noon. modation specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates. For Freight or Passage, apply to JALDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers,

Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY FOR SHANGHALVIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rate) for Ningpo, Cheroo, Newchwang, Tientein,

HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTSZS.) THE Company's Steamship " AGAMEMNON." Captain Hutchison, will be deepatched as above on SATURDAY, the 22nd instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 14th March, 1890. " GIBB" LINE. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURN E.

(Taking through Cargo for ADELAIDE, TAS-MANIA, and New ZEALAND). / THE British Steamship "TARTAR,"

Captain Bailey, will be despatched as above on or about the 23rd inst. This steamer has superior Accommodation for First-class Passengers. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Managers, Hongkong, 10th March, 1890. STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers.

HEP. & O. S. N. Co/s Steamship "THIBET," E. L. WOODIN.

Superintendent. Hongkong, 20th March, 1890. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON. THE Company's Steamship "NINGCHOW,"

.Wm. Durdin, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 30th inst. For Freight, apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBERG& Co., Hongkong, 11th March, 1890.

> MORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE. STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

Hongkong, 17th March, 1890.

'PREUSSEN," Captain C. Pohla, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival with the outward German Mail. For further particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH U. S. MAIL LINE,...

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THE U.S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO" will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on TUESDAY, the 25th March, 1890, at I P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamors. Through Passage Tickets granted to England,

France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows :---To Ban Francisco and return 393.75 available for 6 months...... To Liverpool 325.00 To Lendon

To other European points at propertionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on STEAMERS

Pacific, or Canadian Pacific Railways. (or vice versa) within one year; will be allowed a discount of 10 % from Return Fare. This address in full; and same will be received at the China and Japan to Europe. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 r.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to secompany Cargo

destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and application. Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hongkong, 27th February, 1890.

STEAM FOR INGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN. ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENIUE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON:

AUSTRALIA. N.B .- CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH | San Francisco. BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIKETE, HAM- or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Com-

SURG. NEW YORK, AND BOSTON. SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

HE PENINSULAR AND OBJECTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship PEKIN," Captain P. Harris, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON VIA BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL on WEDNESDAY, the 26th March, at Noon

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Parcels and Specia (Gold) at the Office mntil 4 P.M. on the day before sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo : Tes and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colombo. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and Passage apply to the Peninsulam & ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

. The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Loding. This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for Marseilles. E. L. WOODIN.

Superintendent: Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

PARING CARGO AND PASHENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE. THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

AND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS, THE British Steamship "BATAVIA,"

2,553 Tons Register, Captain Williamson, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., HAMA, on THURSDAY, the 3rd April, at

To be followed by the S. S. " ABYSSINIA' on the 24th April, and S. S. "PARTHIA" on the 15th May. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, 1663 and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast Points. by the regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast STEAMSHIP COMPANY and other Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-

land, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows:— To Vancouver & Victoria ... (Mex.) \$210.00. To Montreal, New York, &c 290.00. To London 330.00.

To other European Points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Bervice, and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-tined to Points in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Van.

COUVET. B.C. Freight will be received on Board until 4 P.M. on the 2nd April. All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until 5 P.M. the day previous to sailing. For information as to Passage or Freight,

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hougkong, 7th March, 1890.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN, AND HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE-LEVANT, BLACK SEA AND HALTIC PORTS;

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL-TIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS. THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS.

AND LUGGAGE. N.B.-CARGO CAN HE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL. PLACES IN RUSSIA. N SUNDAY, the 13th day of April,

1890, at 10 a.m., the Company's Steamship

605 PREUSSEN, Captain C. Pohle, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO. will leave this Port as above, CALLING AT GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 12th April. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board: they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required.

> and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For Further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, 17th March, 1889,

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The Steamer has splendid Accommodation,

VESSELS ON THE BERTH

TIGATION COMPANY, CHINA TIMETED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY, AND MEL.

BOURNE. THE Steamship "CHINGTU."

Captain Hunt, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 30th inst., at DAYLIGHT. The attention of Passengers is directed to the superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the Engines. Second Class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, 7th March, 1890. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN. THE UNITED STATES. MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE; VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ...

Passengers by this line have the option of pro- / WHE Steamship "GAELIC" will be ceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and despatched for San Francisco with Yokoconnecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern hams, on SATURDAY, the 5th April, 1890, at ONE P.M., Connection being made at Yoko-Passengers, who have paid full fare, re- hama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to

allowance does not apply to through fares from Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing. First-class Fares granted as follows: To San Francisco \$25.00 To San Francisco and return, ? available for b months To Liverpool

To London 330.00 To other European points at proportionate rates." Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Pacific, or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will be

ADEN. ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, Blowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance MALTA GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES, does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo lostined to points beyond San Francisco in the BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND United States should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs. For further information as to Freight

> pany, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hongkong, 14th March, 1890. FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. 1. 1. American Ship "P. N. BLANCHARD,"

will load, here for the above Port, and will have quick daspatch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 18th March, 1890. FOR HAMBURG AND LONDON. THE 3/8 L. I. I. British Bark

"SUMATRA" will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 25th February, 1890. FO SAN FRANCISCO.

J. I. American Ship "WILLIAM H. MACY." Ainsbury, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, 13th March, 1890.

THEMARINBURK FURNITURE Co., LD., COLLEGE CHAMBERS, have prepared a special large stock of FURNITURE AND UPHOLSTERY of their own unequalled manufacture, which

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